

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated August 27, 2009, having a shortened statutory period expiring on November 27, 2009. Applicants respectfully request further examination and reconsideration in light of the amendments and remarks set forth below.

There are no amendments to the specification or drawings presented in this paper.

**Amendments to the claims** begin on **page 2** of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on **page 9** of this paper.